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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371				81000.3000	
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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE		PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED	
PCT/EP98/01870		31 March 1998		15 April 1997	
TITLE OF INVENTION					
PLANT PROTECTION AGENTS					
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US					
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:					
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> This a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19<sup>th</sup> month from the earliest claimed priority date.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been transmitted by the International Bureau.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</li> </ol> </li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)), including Figures 1-3.</li> <li>Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> have been transmitted by the International Bureau.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</li> </ol> </li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)) (unsigned).</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).</li> </ol>					
Items 11 to 16 below concern document(s) or information included:					
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An assignment to Stefes Agro GMBH (unsigned).</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Other items of information: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of International Search Report.</li> </ol> </li> </ol>					

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17. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:				CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY	
BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1) - (5)): Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO (small entity). . . . . \$930.00  International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) . . . . . \$700.00  No international preliminary examination fee paid to ISPTO (37 CFR 1.482) but international search fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) . . . . . \$ 770.00  Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor International search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2) paid to USPTO . . . . . \$1040.00  International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(2)-(4) . . . . . \$ 96.00  ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =				\$ 840.00	
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Total claims	13-20 =	0	x \$ 22.00	\$	
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TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$ 840.00	
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Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).					
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =				\$ 420.00	
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c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-3555. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.					
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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION

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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER (SMALL ENTITY)

Sir:

Transmitted herewith via Express Mail Service for filing under 35 U.S.C. 371 is the patent application of

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For : **PLANT PROTECTION AGENTS**

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- ☒ Form PTO-1390, Transmittal Letter (in duplicate).
- ☒ Check in the amount of \$420.00 in full payment of the filing fee.
- ☒ A copy of International Patent Application PCT/EP98/01870, as filed.
- ☒ An English translation of International Application PCT/EP98/01870.
- ☒ International Search Report.
- ☒ Translation of IPER annexes
- ☒ Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status.
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment.
- ☒ A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (unsigned).
- ☒ An Assignment to STEFES AGRO GMBH (unsigned).

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